

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): ANDERSON et al.

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For: A SKIN CARE COMPOSITION THAT MEDIATES CELL TO CELL  
COMMUNICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed September 9, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks in connection with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of this application. A petition for a three (3) month extension of time for this response is submitted herewith.

**Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

Please charge any additional fees needed for the entry of this Amendment to our Deposit Account No. 50-3782, Order No. SC30X-US.